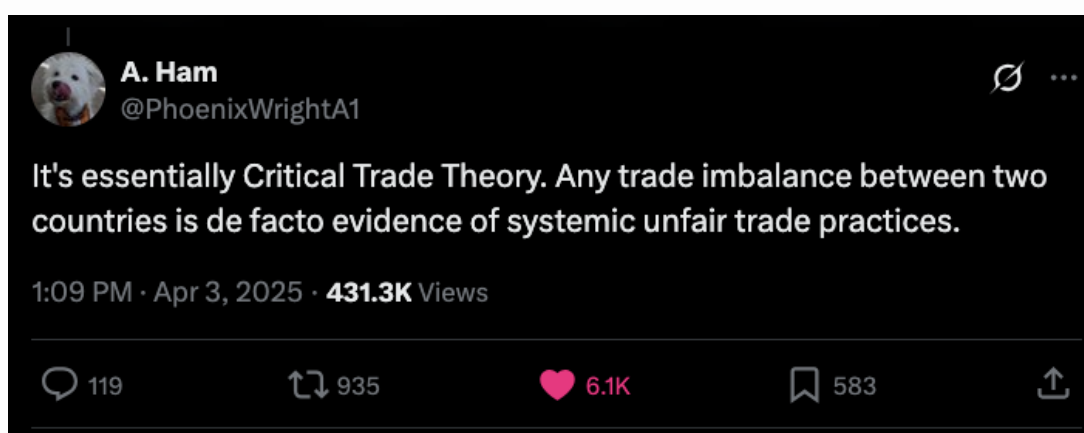


You know about Critical Race Theory, right? It says that if there's an imbalance in, say, income between races, it must be due to discrimination. This is [what wokism seems to be](#), and it's moronic and false.

The right wing has invented something equally stupid. Introducing **Critical Trade Theory**, stolen from this tweet. If there's an imbalance in trade between countries, it must be due to unfair practices. (not due to the obvious, like one country is 10x richer than the other)

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There's really only one way the trade deficits will go away, and that's if trade goes to zero (or maybe if all these countries become richer than America). Same thing with the race deficits, no amount of "leg up" bullshit will change them. Why are all the politicians in America anti-growth anti-reality idiots who want to drive us into the poor house?

The way the tariffs are being done is another form of anti-merit benefits to chosen groups of people, with a whole lot of grift to go along with it.

Makes me just not want to play.